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THE RAIN UPON THE ROOF.

BY MRS. E. D. GAUE. form ago a post dreaming becaring lancy's warp and wast. Ponn'd a tapier, sothing poon-On the "Rain upon the roof."

Violes eprong tenerals my s and my gentle, loving mother spoke again to accents mild; Ourbing every wayward passion
Of her happy thoughtine shild.
Then I heard the swallows twitt'ring Underdouth the cabin caves, And the laughing shout of Willia Up smong the maple leaves.

Then I blossed the post's dreaming. And I wept o'er mem'ries treasured. As the rain fell on the roof. Years ago I lost the peers, Marks where flowed the spring time rill

Los to read but not to feeling ; For the rate drup never falls

O'er my head with pattering must litt it people's Mem'ry's halls With the old familiar faces, Loved and treasured long ago; Tressured now, as in life's spring-time For my heart no change can know, And I live again my shiidhood, In the home far, far away ; From the woodland, erchard, wildwood, With my playmater still at play.

Then my gray bairs press the pillow, obling all the world aloof, Dreaming awastly as I listen To the rain upon the roof. Every pattering drop that fallsth.

Bringing messages of werry To the weary heart and head. Earnest longing for to-murrow, Hoping for the far away ; Making's od to bud and blossom, All our faithfulness with proof Of a send time and a harvest,

Seem-th like an angel's trend

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mighty power, hurling us from our pla- was I dared not close my eyes, but kept the celestial napery of what seemed its his taking leave of you." ces with a giant's strength. Oh! the them fixed upon the starry lyre of the princely cradle. All the winged orders borror of that moment, when I found sisters, which seemed to be echoing hovered round, watching when the newmyself tossing about on the merciless back my murmurings of Plenades, Pie- born should open its yet closed eyes; deep, and how cold the waves felt as lades. dashing over me, I would rise and sink "As I lay tossing about on the deep, the other-with a solicitude and appreon looking around, I found that my every friend I had known, every hope I spared not celestial visages! Nor wantcompanions were near me buffeting the had cherished, every sorrow I had wept ed there to my seeming-oh the inexwaves. For several hours we tossed over, seemed actually present. Then, plicable simpleness of dreams!-bowls claimed about looking out anxiously for a sail, for the first time, did the freak that of that cheering nectar, and striving to keep up each other's made me leave the comforts of home apmy companions near, I telt buoyed up, voice, and subdued 'good by' of my istrants-stricken in years, as it might and continued to combat with the waves. mother sound mournfully distinct; as seem—so dexterous were those heaven— But the fearful agony of that moment it seemed to blend itself with the dreamy ly attendants to counterfeit kindly sim-

shadow, and that I shudder as I gaze into that fearful depth? And do you deem it a marvel that I should turn and thanking God for even this little ray of light, which was enough to enable me to distinguish surrounding objects, I saw a shark moving its ponderous form toward me. I felt as if divested of all powers of volition, and it was if I had been spared the fate of any sould be a spared to the fate of any sould be a spared the fate of any sould be a spared the fate of any sould be a spared to the spared that I should turn any sould be any sould be a spared to the spared that I should turn any sould be any sould be any sould be any sould be a spared to the spared that I should turn any sould be any sould be any sould be a spared to the spared that I should turn any sould be a

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The shark would return, eager for its pray. Completely exrecome by exhaustion, you would scarcely believe it. I could not the part of its nature, aspired to receive in their past of its nature, aspired to receive in their sature, aspired to receive in their past of its nature, aspired to receive in their sature, asp music. At this moment an increased inground at the insult. Master Impulovely.

stood watching "the sea of fire" as it Silently the creature revolved around the mamma, as she took her dear little appeared in its brilliancy. I had never me, and every instant would open its recollected seeing it more dazzling huge mouth as if to ingulf me therein. pet in her arms and removed it from a wings of parental love, and repetition of such brutal treatment." bright; and calling to Henry M., who At last it came close, and I felt its cold repetition of such brutal treatment." was standing near I invited him to stare nose touch my face. In a moment, with the glorious spectacle with me. He all the energy of despair, I rushed upon came, I thought, rather reluctantly; it. The piece of timber I had under and after giving one rapid glance, turn- my right arm now served me as a wea- I chanced upon the prettiest, oddest, disappeared, and the palices. ed coldly away. I followed him, for I pon of defense, and sustaining myself by had noticed that he shuddered as if in horror at the sight. On similar occa- about an hour I struggled with the flerce been reading the "Loves of the Angels," —but Adah sleepeth by the river Pison. sions I remembered his exhibiting the monster. I beat it about the head, try- and went to bed with my head full of same apparent disgust, and I felt some- ing to stun it; and every fresh dat it speculations, suggested by that extrawhat anxious to find out the cause. He would make at me, I would renew the ordinary legend. It had given birth to had scated himself when I reached him, attack with increased vigor, I scream- innumerable conjectures; and I remem-

in thoughtful attitude, and placing my- ed, with all my might, to attract any ber, the last waking thought which I brated singers of the Theater Italien birth, and that they speak thus in alluself by his side, I gathered from him vessel that might be near, until at last it gave expression to on my pillow was a in Paris, lately died in Mouaco, at a sion to the idea that the shadows of men seemed as if all strength was deserting sort of wonder, "what could come of it." very advanced age. He was not more or, as we would term them, their souls, "It is some years since the vessel I me. It was a desperate and fearful I was suddenly transported, how or famous for his talent than for the pecution of spirits, existed previous to their then belonged to was taking in a cargo struggle between life and death, and I whither I could scarcely make out—but liarities of his character. The followthen belonged to was taking in a cargo struggle between life and death, and I whither I could scarcely make out—but liarities of his character. The follow- of sugar at Barbadoes. We were dared not relax one moment, for that to some celestial region. It was not the jug anecdotes concerning him are not peculiar and most remarkable starting apon and worried by huge dogs, which their day, though I had been since, of the down of a harbadoes. of sugar at Barbadoes. We were obliged to go from our ship, which was anothered at some distance from the landing, in boats, and transportour carbanding, in boats, and transportour carbanding. In boats, and transportour carbanding in boats, and transportour ca go in that manner. The afternoon was me, and I would marmar Pl. iades, Ple- man fancy may have leave to sport and casions, called at his house. go in that manner. The afternoon was me, and I would man land man nothing fearing, to take in a load of su- last I made a vigorus effort, and gath- Methought-what wild things dreams "Sir," replied his valet, after having lations treated with some respect, when gar. We had got out of sight of the ering up my remaining strength, I dealt are !- I was present—at what would obeyed his orders, "the gentleman says they attempt to trace its destination af vessel, when suddenly there came upon the monster a blow on the head that you imagine?—at an angel's gossip he will stop till you get up. ns one of those violent gusts so often ex-perienced in a tropical clima'e. It seem- ly motionless for a moment, and then I whence it came, or how it came, or ed as if the 'caverns of the wind' had saw it move gradually off, and disappear who bid it come, or whether it came two or three excellent remedies that above?" is it the "anima" the vital spirit been suddenly opened, and their pent- in the depths of its ocean home. I was purely of its own head, neither you nor will do you a deal of good." up prisoners ru hed out to scatter with so completely exhausted after this that I know-but there lay, sure enough. eir footsteps the ocean's foam around. I had scarcely strength to breathe, but wrapped in its little cloudy swaddling-The boat reeled as the blast descended, was compelled to make an effort to keep bands—a child angel. which was sweeping over us, with a myself from sinking. Worn out as I Sun-threads-filmy beams-ran thro'

BROOKVILLE, INDIANA, FRIDAY cent, like a silver boat launched on a ing of the waves is to me but as a dark cause its birth was not of the shadow, and that I shudder as I gaze vigor of heaven.

Brookbille

A CHIL?) ANGEL A DREAM.

which, when it did, first one, and then water.

appeared. I called aloud, I implored host passing away, morning broke up- not in full symphony, as those by which ent immediately cried out : them to answer; only one word, I said, on me. Upon looking around at the the spheres are tutored, but, as loudest to tell me that I am not all alone-alone vast waste of waters that encompassed instruments on earth speak oftentimes, searched." ed and ingulfed them. Yes, I was alone and in an instant a boat was lowered, sprang forth, fluttering its rudiments of to strike, it would expose him." covering over the earth and sea, and soon its shadows darkened all around. It was the first quarter of the moon, and oh! how I looked up and blessed and oh! how I looked up and blessed her, as she hung out her brilliant cres-

They rested their starry instrument in the agure skies, and striking its shilling chords, they be entered forth a strain away only at the last moment. One countries of the original denizers.

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An Eccentric Character.

Mons. Barzzi, one of the most cele- "coming above," as synonymous with

"Tell him that I am very ill, then."

"If you please, sir, he says he knows "Tell him that I am at the last gasp, The word given by Volner, in his Mau-

and have no chance of recovery.' "Say I am already dead."

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hat excellent observer, Dr. Edwin system of doctrine, by claiming a localter its wayfaring on our planet is over.

But what is this soul that thus "comes

mee Vocabulary, as a translation for beautiful legends

like to sprinkle your corpse with holy rally, in strict translation, "a flying not met with an aged man, who encour- The breeches answered all practical "In that case," said Brizzi, whose Now it is well known that our word gave him an empty calabash, in which with their swell, I had caught two it appeared to me memory was gifted hension, yet not such as, stained with stock of excuses was exhausted, "let spirit is derived from the Latin spirare, he might enclose the soul of his sister, Women or Strong Sense. Never pieces of timber that were floating past, and in that manner sustained myself, for the shore was at too great a distance my past existence. Not a deed, not a likewise promised Sayadyio that he shore was at too great a distance my past existence. Not a deed, not a likewise promised Sayadyio that he shore was at too great a distance my past existence. Not a deed, not a likewise promised Sayadyio that he likewise promised Sayadyio that for me to reach it by swimming. Up- thought; but sprung to life once more; an inextinguishable titter that time Gousant, who was celebrated for his figurative signification which the Indi- would give him also the maiden's brains be from seeing and valuing similar qual stupidity, Brizzi made a fault. He in- ans attach to them in a similar connex- which he had in his possession, he be- ities in yourself. You may trust her, stantly perceived it, however, and exclaimed:

Ah! how Gossant I am!"

Sir," said Gousant, "you are a fool."

"Did I not say so?" asked Brizzi.

I on. Whether or not their opinions respecting the nature of the shadow are entirely analogous to our own, will appear hereafter Dr. James, when on duty at Prairie Dn Chien, heard some eagerly fled his pressure. That has possession, he betion of the dead. The young man ardence; you may consult her, for she is entirely analogous to our own, will appear hereafter Dr. James, when on duty at Prairie Dn Chien, heard some eagerly fled his pressure. That on his possession, he betion of the dead. The young man ardence; you may consult her, for she is entirely analogous to our own, with pear hereafter Dr. James, when on duty at Prairie Dn Chien, heard some eagerly fled his pressure. That on his possession, he betion of the dead. The young man ardence; you may consult her, for she is entirely analogous to our own, will appear hereafter Dr. James, when on duty at Prairie Dn Chien, heard some "No." Indians reproving one of their tribe, wagou, the master of the ceremonies in lasting, for it will not have been light "Well, if I did not, I meant to do so" who had been ill, for what they conside phantom good society, received him won; it will be strong and ardent. But the fearful agony of that moment I shall never forget, when looking again at the spot where I had last seen them tossing wildly their hands, as if implortossing wildly their hands with the dreamy live at the doson was not yet with the dreamy will have a treat will have a treat will have a treat with the dreamy will have a treat will have a trea tossing wildly their hands, as if imploring for aid, I found that they had dising fo him. As to the position of the soul sister floating through the phantom or from the poor vality of preferring "Shut the doors, and let every one be while in the body, we do not find that corps de bauet, and rushed to embrace that admiration which springs from igour Indians, like some of the ancients, her, but she vanished like a dream of norance, to that which approaches to apon this horrible deep. But, O my God, me, I espied a sail; my heart beat joy-muffled; so to accommodate their sound my God! (said the speaker, overcome ously, again I seemed endowed with the better to the weak ears of the imperishable spirit; but kindly furnished our adventurer with a by his emotion,) no voice replied, they supernatural energy, and I called aloud perfect born. And with the noise of that you will all quit the room. The the majority believe with ourselves that mystical rattle of strange musical power; A Western colwere gone, gone. The waves had open- for assistance. My cries were heard; those subdued soundings, the angelet watch is a repeater, and if it happened it is immaterial, and, therefore, when and when the sound of the spirit-drum, lege professor thus "illustrates" an imwishing to escape, not retarded in its which marks the time for the choral -alone to combat with the fierce ele-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxi-ments that seemed driving me on to waters. I watched it with intense anxietermity; alone with my fast failing ety. As soon as it reached me I was ta- winged angels. And a wonder it was servant his money to keep for him, in tributes of a human soul, according to the Indian flute poured the enchanting "Besides this, there is a piano, where acrength, no voice near to cheer me, no ken in, and on arriving on board I saw to see how, as years went round in order to preserve it from the numerous the Indian belief. Of these, the chief notes that lift them along, upon a tide the fingers are compelled to travel more human arm to uphold me. To add to painted upon its stearn, in large golden heaven—a year in dreams is as a day— sharpers by whom he was almost allowed by the magic rattle of Saya- in one day than the feet do in one term; my horrors, night threw her mantle letters, its name, 'The Pleiades!' Yes! continually its white shoulders put forth ways surrounded.

with the deceased his war-dress, his ties and artifices of the captive son sir, in your coat arms, his calumet, and his barburie or who only thought of being delivered

"It is easily explained," continued following Willis-itie: the Chippewa. "You know that in "I ventured in the vast establishment dreams we pass over wide countries, of Duncan and Sherman, 343, Broadand see hills, and lakes, and mountains, way. Here (you may or may not ning chords, they be entired forth a strain daring youngster followed close on the of peace and comfore. Again and again the delightful tones breathed out, then the delightful tones breathed out, then length of his heat, and gave a sharp of the upper floors of the building occupidaring youngster followed close on the adopted.

Ime, our bodies do not stop, and there the upper floors of the building occupidaring youngster followed close on the adopted.

And myriads of years rolled round, be dead! So you perceive it must be an with their miraculous "Sewing Mathe delightful tones breathed out, then died away, the faint exquisite music of a dream, until at last no sound could be heard, but the dying echoes that be heard, but the dying echoes that the greatest indifference, scarcely turn. be heard, but the dying echoes that the greatest indifference, scarcely turn- upon earth, and still goes lame and of the Hereafter, will gather to their little excursions of the lingering spirit ductive industry. At the different sta-

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THE PLEIADES -A TRUE STORY.

It was a lovely night, "the moon parting and the meaning and permission to solve upon its victimating the meaning and permission to solve upon its victimating the meaning and permission to solve upon its victimating the meaning are remeated glance, some different dealers for the wind as almost a food and and an another than on the parting as the meaning are remeated glance, some different dislicates of genus, cach ripple appears do a diamond, and from each billing the solve to grave and that while it works a station of a single for the casket of genus, cach ripple appears and a diamond, and from each billing the solve to grave and the station of the solve to grave and the solve than on this plate. They can had seven the possible of the grave and the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have also been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have also been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have also been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have also been the solve than on the little solved the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have been the solve than on this inglist. For hours I have also been the fellow solve the proposal inglist the solve the proposal inglist the solve that the total three the solve that the solve the solve the solve that the solve the sol

such person may be expected.

a note, does not after all mean either noy, long and painful, might have forks and swallow-tail) at my friend's "If you please, sir, he says he should "mind," or "soul," or "spirit," but lite- proved bootless throughout, if he had hospitable house. aged his search, and at the same time purposes.

naments of every kind.

Swedenborg himself, could not believe more thoroughly that he would smoke his German meerschaam in the land of oney in question for manner in which he that the ghost of the pipe which often that the ghost of the pipe which often that the ghost of the pipe which often the damsel was disinterred, and preparament, to whom he is the land of shadows.

"To allow the soul to pass out and he had derived no other benefit from his journey, then that of having been "I thought (said Mr. S.) that you be- in the place of souls, and having it in lieved that the soul went up from the his power to relate certain true things body, at the time of death, to a land of which would not fail of reaching pos-

Willis in New York

From an Idlewild letter we elip the

music. At this moment an increased ripple in the waters aroused me from my shep, and I can never for cet the thrill of horror that ran through every thrill of horror that ran through every thrill of horror that ran through every deals and catching the performance and it is start-thrill in action. Would to Heaven the Indian death sought the large truthful in action. Would to Heaven the Indian death sought the large truthful in action. through the large trap-door in the cen-ter like a procession of decently clad

must cross a river, too deep and rapid to be forded, in a stone ca oe; they must next traverse a bettomless chasm, bridged only by an enormous snake, on whose slimy back they walk; and finaltains, and who has recorded his person rent than the preceding, upon a single there should be (moths and accidents at experience of Indian manners and tottering log, which spans the roaring excepted) a well-worn suit of many tottering log, which spans the roaring excepted) a well-worn suit of many y pass over a still more boisterous tor- closet of my brother's house, up town, [CHARLES LAMB. | character in more than one work upon their habits and customs, says (Col. N. gulph below. This log is constantly years ago, into which I, perhaps, migh vibrating upwards and downwards, be still able to insert myself. Un to Y. Hist Soc.) that it is common to hear with such violence, that many, alike packing them away—(a reservation the Indians, in conversation, speak of children and adults, are precipitated from the usual decline and fall into the children and adults, are precipitated from the usual decline and fall into the into the gulf, when they are changed beggar's wallet which they owed to a into fish and turtles, and other cold tonder memory of the beloved voices to which the unconscious buttons had lis-Of those, who effect in safety the tran- tened, in their time)-that dress cost earth, are entitled to have their specu- living, are coldly received or altogether likely to remember-but, save this, (and refused admittance. Many of the shad- the wrinkles out of their reach.) I was ows crowd around those who have just a case of rather uncommon statuquesity arrived, and question them respecting At any rate I would try. If the integ those left behind, and when such and uments were extant, I could put them on-go up and down stairs in them con The following is one of their most Rip Van Winklitude by private experiments of all the evening's varied proba-"He says that, if that is the case, sir, either of the three English words. Driven almost to despair by the death bilities—and, if the rehearsal were sathe cannot think of your dying without "mind," "soul" or "spirit," is atchipaia, of his sister, Sayadyio resolved to seek his taking leave of you." so rigidly exacted by society (black bi-